

## THE BIG BARBECUE'S SUCCESS

Depends upon everybody helping. Don't imagine the other fellow can do it all. Its Bryan's celebration, help the good work on by sending a basket—we carry a fine assortment of every thing needed—Cream or Quaker bread, fresh shipment of Dozier Bakery Cakes and Crackers. Just received another shipment of Premium and Gold Band hams, nothing better for the occasion. Pickles in wood, bottles, etc. We have everything put up in cans such as Salmon, Sardines, Veal Loaf, Hamburger Steak with Onions, Chipped Beef, Corn Beef, Vienna Sausage, etc. Double Crown full cream cheese. Make a cake out of White Swan flour for biscuits, cakes, etc. it can't be beat.

TWO PHONES—23 and 150.  
**HOWELL BROTHERS,**  
Grocers and Coffee Roasters.

## MR. KEARBY DECLINES

Will Not Run for Governor on the Populist Ticket.

## HIS HEALTH IS BAD.

In His Letter Declining to Run He Scores the Democratic Party in Texas for its Mismanagement of Affairs.

Mineral Wells, Tex., Aug. 30.—The expected declination of J. C. Kearby, the nominee of the Middle-of-the-Road faction of the People's Party for governor of Texas, has at last been given to the public. The reason is that Mr. Kearby's health will not permit him to make a canvass. The Democratic party of Texas is unmercifully scored by Mr. Kearby. His letter is as follows:

Mineral Wells, Tex., Aug. 27, 1900.—To Messrs. J. M. McWilliams, N. W. Gresham and M. W. Sullivan, committee appointed by the state convention of the People's Party at Waco to advise me of my nomination as the party's candidate for the important and honorable office of governor of this state—Gentlemen: I would be the personification of ingratitude, dead to every sense of propriety, insensible to every obligation implied by your confidence, should I fail to appreciate this mark of distinction, this implied trust. The embarrassment of my situation has been intensified by the great number of letters from every section of the state urging, even imploring me, to forego every consideration and make the race. These letters come mainly from a class of our citizenship upon whom the burdens of government fall most heavily; the tenant farmer, the laborer, the industrial masses, who deserve the most tender recollection by government in disposition of its patronage and the disbursement of its material aid and substantial blessings. It is discreditable to the heart, the integrity, the intelligence of governments to munificently endow with franchise, subsidies and state's wealth moneyed combines, corporations and monopolies that they may be better able to prey without limit or restraint upon the energy and productive capacity of the many.

A long continued lease of power breeds extravagance, corruption and dishonesty. This is an axiomatic truth verified by universal experience.

The affairs of the state of Texas have been administered for 27 years by the Democratic party. The executive, legislative and judicial departments have been filled by Democrats. At a recent state convention held at Waco, 70 per cent of its members being officeholders, state, county, municipal and their appointees, while engaged in some factional fight among themselves, became excited, forgot their cunning, and for a time proceeded to tell some Bible truths of and concerning one another. The language used would put to shame a Bowery tough, an outrage on common decency, a flagrant defiance of every propriety characteristic of intelligence and refinement. What a shameful spectacle! Judges, legislators, congressmen, governors and would-be governors, thus accusing one another of the high crime of treason to the people and the state. The honor of Texas, the welfare of all the people, demands that this class of citizenship, this type of ruffian leadership, be relegated to eternal oblivion. These charges may or may not be true. This I do know: they come from a source entirely familiar with the inside workings of the abomination called "party." They are made by men who would know it if it is true.

In the opinion of a majority of the delegates at Waco the party can no longer be trusted to fulfill its platform pledges. The friends of reform in that convention when they wanted to assure the enactment of a platform measure into law took the unprecedented method of propounding the measure in the form of a constitutional amendment, a cruel rebuke to the Democratic party by the Democratic party. I would not have my friends conclude from what I have said that I think there is enough salt left to purify the party. These are but ebullitions of a factional strife for ascendancy two years hence. It means no good to the people, nor to the state.

The depths of demagogism have been explored by a senseless and unmeaning fulmination against imperialism and trusts, are the natural evolution of our civilization. Inventive genius will continue to beget labor-saving instrumentalities whereby productive capacity will be multiplied and the opportunities to industrial advancement will be minimized. Capital will continue to invest in labor-saving enterprises, combine to control the output, the cost and the value-

tion of the products. These conditions cannot be repressed or regulated by law. The means employed are permissible. The results are hurtful. Protection is the breeding ground of trusts; the public highways provide the nourishment and sustenance that fosters and sustains the public trusts. Let the government withdraw all protection, become the owner and operator of all public utilities, then, and not till then, will trusts and combines and monopolies die a death that knows no resurrection. There are two great trusts in this country with which the people can deal directly. They are the most formidable, the most dangerous of all trusts, and until the people in their majesty, in their patriotic love for the welfare of their common country shall put these two criminals to death all efforts at escape from trusts will be abortive. I refer to the Democratic party of the south and the Republican party of the north. Trusts more oppressive, more proscriptive never has, never will, exist in this country.

Although the Democratic party has been in undisputed possession of the state for 27 years, they have met every two years and propounded a platform, each succeeding platform being longer and containing more promises than its predecessor. Each platform has been laden with griefs and hardships endured by the people with promises of reform and entrenchment. If the Democratic party had been patriotic there would be no burdens upon the people of this state. If the Democratic party had been honest there would be no need of retrenchment. Why, I ask, should it take the Democratic party 27 years to perfect a law, to perfect a tax measure, a land policy, a fees of office, a primary election law? Why should it take the Democratic party 27 years to learn that the giving of free passes was an evil, that the running of two engines on one train was extra hazardous?

Why should it take the Democratic party 27 years to learn that the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 was of secondary importance?

[Mr. Kearby says the real issue of the Democratic party is "office." He calls Democrats revolutionists and obstructionists. He says Democrats squandered the public domain, prostituted the school fund and debauched the laws of Texas. He alleges the Democrats are insincere in their cry against trusts and cites the Waters-Pierce Oil company's case as an example.]

Mr. Bryan and his followers tell us that the Republican party will destroy republican form of government on this continent. This to me is the sublimity of partisanship and political blindness. All history is forgotten, and the credulous present is made to bury the dead past. The only organized party in this nation that ever shot to death the American flag was the Democratic party. The only organized party that ever disfranchised citizens by the millions, that enslaved its free born is the Democratic party. The Democratic party forced the war on Spain and then obstructed the appropriations to pay for it.

[Mr. Kearby says the Democrats voted to ratify the treaty of peace with Spain and to pay for the Philippines and are now trying to shirk that duty. He says both of the old parties have outlived their usefulness. He says no man can be elected to office without spending two to five times the amount of the salary the office pays. He says he will support any ticket his party names to secure victory over the Democratic machine. Says the Populist platform is conservative and progressing and a ticket to which the mad and jealous criminalities of the Waco convention cannot apply.]

I now come to what is me is the most painful part of this letter. My health has been for the past two years very poor. It is now such that I could not possibly endure the labor of the excitement of a campaign. I owe some duty to my wife and daughters. They have always with a resignation characteristic alone of women, encouraged me and aided me in my public efforts to render some service to my country. For two years past they have done little else than nurse me. And they now appeal to me to save them from that anxiety and unrest that my candidacy would occasion them. Were I to do otherwise than gratify this wish of theirs I would at once distrust myself. I indulge the hope that our people may gather wisdom from past experience and labor earnestly to secure a ticket that will command the support of every element in Texas opposed to the present organized Democracy. Let us have such a fight for Texas, and victory will be your reward. I am, with great respect, your friend, J. C. KEARBY.

## NEGRO LYNCHED.

He Brutally Murdered a Man and Confessed the Crime.

Cheneyville, La., Aug. 30.—A most dastardly assassination was perpetrated at Bennettville, on Bayou Bouef, five miles below this place Tuesday night.

Alanson G. Jackson, had charge of the store was fired upon with a doublebarreled gun at a distance of 30 feet, both barrels loaded with buckshot and both taking effect. One charge went straight through from the side of the head and the other striking him in the forehead and arm. The assassin then threw out the shells and put in fresh

## September Days



Are at hand and we want your grocery trade, or a share of it for this month. We promise the best service—courteous treatment, prompt delivery and the best goods at the lowest prices. We are receiving—

**Fresh groceries**

Constantly and keep pace with the seasons in our purchases. We will make it to your interest to try us this month.

**The Bryan Grocery Co.,**

TOM A. SEARCY, Manager.

## Pipe work and plumbing,

Water Backs in Stoves, Fitting up Reservoir, Bath Tubs, Hose Repairing, Etc. Leave orders at Wilcox's blacksmith shop or at The Bryan Eagle office; work promptly done.

**M. F. HEENAN.**

## "Getting Money From Home"

ones, loaded with birdshot, after which he approached his victim, who was lying dead, and putting the gun in close proximity to the body of Jackson, he fired both barrels into the lower limbs. The assassin was Thomas Amos, a negro.

After killing Jackson the murderer went to the home of his father who lived a mile from the store and remained there until arrested.

The prisoner was taken back to the store and questioned by those present when he made a full confession. After the confession he was taken to a convenient tree and while preparations were being made for a hanging bee Amos said:

"Tie your rope over a limb and I'll slip my head in the noose and climb the tree and show you how a man can die." He also invited the crowd to shoot into his body.

In less than an hour the incident was closed, the coroner notified and the body of Thomas Amos was left swinging in the early morning breeze.

Is a fine thing, as everyone will agree—the next best thing is keeping it at home. You may think your laundry bill is a small item when you send it away from home, but many small orders sent away make a big hole in the profits of a home enterprise.

## THE AMERICAN LAUNDRY

Guarantees to do strictly first-class work promptly and at reasonable prices. We cheerfully correct all mistakes when called to our attention. Drop us a postal or phone 141 and we will get your bundle and appreciate your patronage. Two doors south of Exchange hotel.

**American Laundry.**

## Rah! Rah! Rah!

The new railroad is coming!  
Are you well and fit to enjoy the celebration?  
Is your liver out of order?  
Why not take a BLACK CAPSULE?  
And get in shape for the festivities.  
We have them in 10c and 25c boxes.

**Ben. S. Read.**

## "Old Liza"

ful work, are the claims upon which we solicit a share of your business in the future. Thanking those who have favored me in the past and hoping to continue to please them, I am respectfully,

**F. A. LEE.**

DRAY LINE, F. A. Lee, Proprietor. Good drays and polite draymen, prompt and careful work.

The Press Publishing Association's scensus guessing contest for \$52,000.00 in premiums will probably not close before October 15th, as it will be November 15th before the official count can be announced, according to present estimates. Those who wish to guess have plenty of time yet.

For Iced Tea, Chase & Sanborn's famous

## Emperor's Blend,

has no equal. We have just received a shipment of the famous

## WOODCOCK HAMS AND BREAKFAST BACON

They cost you a little more but are well worth the difference as one trial will convince you. Also have a fresh stock of DOZIER'S FANCY CAKES AND CRACKERS. Penick & Ford's Open Kettle Molasses put up in gallon and one-half gallon cans. MAGNOLIA Flour costs you no more than many inferior brands and when used once you will have no other.

**Dansby & Dansby,**

PHONE 114.

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FRIDAY, AUG. 31 1900

### Her Husband's Pulpit Substitute.

Owing to the absence of Rev. Mr. M. E. Harlan from his pulpit in the First Church of Christ, Disciples, in Sterling place, Brooklyn, his wife preached at both services Sunday. Mrs. Harlan has been engaged in missionary work for a number of years, but it was the first time she had preached since she went to Brooklyn from Topeka, Kas., six months ago. Her subject at the evening service was, "Dignified Humility."

## WE WANT YOUR PRESCRIPTIONS.

We fill your physicians prescriptions 25 per cent less than you can have them filled elsewhere. Our service is the best, our Prescription department is clean, orderly, well stocked and supplied with every utensil and facility for accurate, reliable and rapid work. Every prescription is filled exactly as written or not at all. We link SKILL with ACCURACY, PURITY AND QUALITY in all prescription work. We lead the standard of drug service. We appreciate your Prescription patronage.

Emmel's

Prescription

Pharmacy.

## THE BIG CELEBRATION

The big celebration has come and gone and was a colossal success in the face of a rainstorm just when dinner was ready to be served. The magnitude of the celebration can hardly be comprehended by those who were not present when the size of the town is taken into consideration. The crowd was variously estimated from five to seven thousand people and came from all surrounding counties and from distant points. The procession was more than a mile long and was one of the most splendid pageants ever seen in any city in the state. This was the verdict of Congressman Ball and other distinguished visitors.

The first train of eleven coaches from Palestine arrived at 10:25 and was given a royal welcome. It had on board about five hundred people including General Manager Leroy Trice, Supt. A. L. Bowers, Assistant Superintendent Noble and wife, General Freight Agent G. H. Turner, Chief Engineer J. D. Trammell, D. J. Price, general passenger and ticket agent, Col. J. H. Hawley, general agent at Galveston, and other officials of the I. & G. N. Also 150 of the members of the Palestine business league, headed by President J. W. Ozment and Secretary W. M. Imboden, the mayor, city marshal and all other city officers of Palestine and one hundred or more ladies. Franklin and Hearne also contributed to the crowd.

An hour later another special arrived from Calvert with eight coaches and 350 or 400 people headed by Supt. J. W. Byars and prominent citizens of Calvert. The trains got in over the new road in good shape and the visitors were greatly pleased with their trip.

When the procession reached the grounds Judge A. G. Board delivered a brief address, welcoming the visitors from the surrounding towns and country, the I. & G. N. officials and all other visitors, laying emphasis upon the occasion of the celebration. At the conclusion of his remarks Judge Board introduced Congressman T. H. Ball, the orator of the day. Mr. Ball indulged in some pleasant congratulatory remarks upon the occasion of the celebration, reviewed the history of railroad building in this country, spoke of our industrial development, and after a reference to state politics, spoke at length on the national issues, principally expansion.

Col. J. H. Hawley was the next introduced. He is a fluent and forcible speaker and his remarks were predicated on the coming of the C. W. & B. V. He told the people the railroad was theirs to enjoy, a great highway to the sea. It had come into their midst to develop the country and was anxious to haul their products, as they were to have them taken to market. He said the magnificent welcome given the new road was a harbinger of success, and his company wanted these cordial relations maintained and would do

its whole duty towards the people.

Judge Norman G. Kittrell was the last speaker, and made a hit with his witty pleasantries. He congratulated the city of Bryan upon the acquisition of the new railroad and upon her magnificent trade territory, the valley of the Brazos on the west and the wide expanse of fertile farms spread over the counties to the east. He said what Bryan needed next was factories, the music of the loom and the roar of the furnace.

Dinner was served after the speaking and visitors are the authority for the statement that a more abundant and magnificent spread has never been seen in this section of the state. Then there were served about ten thousand pounds of barbecued meats, three thousand loaves of bread and baskets of good things galore, prepared by the ladies of the city.

The shoot of live birds and blue rocks attracted great attention all day. There were numerous entries and some fine scores were made.

The ball game between Bryan and Palestine resulted in a score of 9 to 4 in favor of Palestine.

The Bryan and Palestine bands gave a fine open air concert in front of the Exchange hotel yesterday afternoon.

A full description of the trades display and of San Juan and fireworks last night will appear in a later issue.

### Private School.

I will open school the first Monday in September at my residence. Thanking my patrons for past patronage, I respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. Very respectfully,  
MRS. EDNA MINKERT.

### Notice.

Mrs. A. P. Anderson will open her Primary and Kindergarten school Monday, September 3, in her former school room under Masonic Hall and solicits a share of public patronage. 29

### San Antonio Fair and Exposition.

There is no longer any doubt but what the San Antonio fair this fall will be the greatest occasion in the history of that city.

The fair association began early their work of preparation. The grounds have been improved and beautified and new buildings erected. Expansion, everywhere visible, is fully up to requirements of the unprecedented demand for space and increased number of exhibits in every department.

The federal government of Mexico and the governors of the several Mexican states are now preparing exhibits in mine, mill, factory and other productions famous to that country, and of great interest to the business man and investment-seeker.

The cattle exhibit will be the crowning feature of the fair; stall room for over one thousand head of registered cattle has already been engaged; special attention has been given to the introduction of range cattle, and inducements offered to cattle men to compete for prizes. Exhibits from the famous ranches of Joe Todd, Robert Kleburg, John Kennedy, Edward Lassiter and others arranged for.

Every available space has been taken in Machinery, Implement and Exposition halls, and a lively interest is manifested on the part of exhibitors of the horse, swine, sheep and poultry. Ample space has been allotted these departments and the promise is something great.

The fish exhibit in preparation by the agent of the United States fish commission and by firms and individuals located at points along the Texas coast, and the beautiful ice palace to be constructed by Harry Land of New Braunfels will be very attractive features.

The large sum of \$12,000 in cash prizes, devoted to the racing department, will attract many famous horses and a good time is promised the many who desire to witness the triumphs of the horse.

Many of the best bands of Mexico and Texas will be in daily attendance, and the occasion enlivened by numerous outdoor concerts, band contests and parades.

San Antonio will spare no effort or expense to make this a joyous and profitable season for all who attend.

Very low round trip rates will be authorized by the I. & G. N. railroad and its connections so that everybody can attend.

For further particulars apply to the nearest railroad agent or to D. J. Price, G. P. and T. A., Palestine, Texas.

### DAVIS CAPTURED.

He Begged to Be Protected from the Hand of a Mob.

New York, Aug. 30.—John Davis, alias "Lamp Lighter," the negro who Saturday at midnight shot and dangerously wounded John Brennan, and over which shooting the several incipient riots broke out in this city, has been arrested. He was found in a tenement house occupied by negroes, where he was locked in one of the rooms. When the police caught him he begged them to see that he was not lynched. Being taken before Brennan at the hospital the prisoner was identified by the wounded man who is not expected to live many hours.

Frank Moss has been retained by a committee of representative negroes to see what action can be taken to punish the persons who were implicated in the recent outbreak against the negroes in this city. Mr. Moss will also represent the City Vigilance league in similar action, and an effort will be made to gather sufficient evidence to convict those who were guilty.

Mr. Moss declines to make public the names of those who have retained him, as he said that he did not think it would serve the interests of his clients to do so at present.

Four more claims aggregating \$60,000 have been filed against the city by negroes who claim to have been assaulted by the police during the race trouble. The total claims now on file amount to \$185,000.

### TRAIN HELD UP.

Express and Baggage Cars Wrecked and Safe Blown to Pieces.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Aug. 30.—The Union Pacific passenger train was held up by bandits half a mile west of Tipton, 58 miles west of Rawlins, at 8:30 o'clock last night. There were four men in the holdup.

The express and baggage cars were blown open and the safe blown to pieces. The railway company says the loss was nominal. The baggage and express cars were considerably damaged.

United States Marshal Hadsell, who was notified at Rawlins, raised a posse of 25 men with horses and went on a special train to the scene of the holdup and are now on the trail of the bandits. No one was injured.

The Union Pacific officers offers \$1000 reward for each bandit.

### GRAND ARMY OFFICERS.

Major Rasseleur of St. Louis Elected Commander-in-Chief.

Chicago, Aug. 30.—Major Leo Rasseleur of St. Louis was unanimously elected commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic.

D. C. Milliken of Maine, senior vice commander-in-chief.

Frank Seamons of Tennessee, junior vice commander-in-chief.

John A. Watkins of Ohio, surgeon general.

Rev. A. Dahms of California, chaplain-in-chief.

### Thirty-Five Suspects Arrested.

Marshalltown, Ia., Aug. 30.—A sheriff's posse and the city police arrested 35 men suspected of complicity in the attempted assault upon two young girls, and the murder of their defender, Joseph Williams, a respectable colored citizen. One of the number, a tramp, giving the name of Gray, was positively identified by half a dozen persons, including the girls, as the man who shot Williams. He is in the county jail, strongly guarded, and although there are persistent mutterings of vengeance, especially among the negro residents, it is not now believed by the officers that violence against the prisoners will be attempted.

### Creeks Cling to Old Customs.

South McAlester, I. T., Aug. 30.—A short time ago a Creek Indian named Jonah, killed another Creek Indian, Such-Chim-Ho-Chee-Out. Both Indians belong to the full blood, or dissatisfied element, which faction repudiates the present government of the Creek Nation and adheres to oldtime customs. They avow their intention to settle the matter of the killing without allowing it to go to the United States courts for adjudication.

### Killed by a Fall.

Wharton, Tex., Aug. 30.—An accident occurred in the lower part of the county in which Andrew Kemp, a stockman of this county, lost his life. Mr. Kemp left his home with a span of mules to his wagon. A short distance away the animals took fright, and he in attempting to jump from the vehicle was thrown violently to the ground, sustaining injuries about the head and body, from which he died in an hour.

### Imagined He Was a Wild Man.

St. Louis, Aug. 30.—Louis Bolkhart, a barber, was sent to the city hospital for observation. He imagines he is a wild man, and insisted in parading up and down the streets in the neighborhood of his home, growling and clawing at pedestrians. No cause is assigned for his malady, which is thought to be only temporary.

### Fell from a Train.

Philadelphia, Aug. 30.—Thomas J. Powers, commissioner of banking for Pennsylvania, was killed by falling from a train in the outskirts of this city on Wednesday night. His mangled body was found under the Pennsylvania railroad bridge spanning the Delaware river by three men gunning in marshes.

### Insurgent General Surrenders.

Carcas, Venezuela, Aug. 30.—Advices received here say General Uribe, chief of the insurgent forces in Colombia, has surrendered to the government at Churchuri.

## It will be cooler

Later on. During this hot weather when everybody is hanging around close to the soda fountains and sighing for an excursion to the polar regions, the subject of pushing business smacks of unmitigated gall.

### HALL'S DRUG STORE

is going to let the other fellow talk himself to death now while the weather is hot, and we will come in on the home stretch when cooler weather comes, fresh and full of business snap and vim.

### KEEP YOUR EYE PEELED....

for we are here with a fine new stock and prices that are right for the fall trade.

**HALL'S Drug Store.**



CANDY KITCHEN and

Ice Cream Parlor.

ALL KINDS OF ICED DRINKS.

The finest Candies, Fresh Fruits, Fine Cigars, Lowney's and Gunther's Candies.

TELEPHONE NO. 202.

## BORGDON'S Livery Stable.

Having purchased the Livery business of Jas. O. Kernole, which is the best equipped stable in Bryan, we are prepared to serve the public at all hours day and night, with

## Knobby Rigs of all Kinds,

and first-class single or double driving horses. Our motto will be Courteous, Prompt and Careful Personal Attention to all calls. We will appreciate a liberal portion of your patronage and guarantee satisfaction.

SAME OLD STAND. 'PHONE 112.

**J. V. BROGDON, Proprietor.**

## FRANKLIN BROS.,

BUTCHERS AND MEAT DEALERS.

We Buy HIDES, WOOL AND PELTS, And Pay the HIGHEST MARKET PRICES.

TWO MARKETS--One in City Market Building and one next door to John B. Mike's Store.

BRYAN, : : : TEXAS.

## For hot weather

You need Heat Powder, Mosquito Lotion, Fly Paper, Bed Bug Exterminator, Bath Brushes, Sponges, Toilet Soaps, Perfumery, Allen's Footcase, and numerous other seasonable articles and preparations, all of which you will find at my store at prices to please. Our remedies are unsurpassed. Try James' Emetic Pills and James' Cholera Mixture. We make a specialty of the best prescription work.

**M. H. JAMES,**

THE LEADING DRUGGIST.

## Selected GROCERIES



Ordinary  
Goods  
Have  
No  
Place  
In  
Our  
Stock.

Couldn't sell much if we wanted to, because our customers demand the best quality. And the supply is equal to the demand, both in quality and in quantity. Got what you want when you want it and as you want it. Prices are no more than you are willing to pay.

### KERNOLE Brothers.

#### H. & T. C. Time Card, Bryan

Northbound No. 1.....12:30 p. m.  
Southbound No. 2..... 3:55 p. m.  
Northbound No. 3..... 1:55 a. m.  
Southbound No. 4..... 3:00 a. m.

#### LOCAL NEWS.

J. C. Scott was here from Franklin yesterday.

Dr. O. T. Lewis was here from Mil-  
lenn yesterday.

Major N. P. Houx was here yester-  
day from Mexia.

D. L. Palmer was among the visitors  
from Leon county.

J. P. Burns of Leon county called  
on the Eagle yesterday.

Miss Hilda Preston of Navasota is  
the guest of Misses Coulter.

Genuine Imported old Tom Cat  
Gin at the Exposition Saloon. 1531f

Drink Mt. Vernon pure rye for sale  
by the Exposition Saloon. d tf

G. J. McClung of north Grimes  
gave the Eagle a call yesterday.

Metropolitan cigars are the best.  
Sold by the Exposition Saloon. dtf

Chas. D. Golding of the Rock  
Island route took in the celebration.

Car of good ear corn on the track  
at 52 cents per bushel. E. C. Har-  
der.. 30

Signs of all kinds at prices to suit  
the times. Ted Birch, Central  
Hotel. 29

Mrs. J. H. Astin and Miss Daisy  
Astin were here from Mumford yester-  
day.

Dr. Fred B. Johnston, H. H. Hodge  
and others were here from Anderson  
yesterday.

House for rent on Sept. 1, one  
block from Main street. Apply to  
Mrs. T. P. Wooten. d29

J. G. Nettles, L. A. Peel, W. R.  
Jones, S. M. Smith and T. P. Priddy  
were here from Montgomery yester-  
day.

The best refrigerated meats of all  
kinds at the city market, S. W.  
Buchanan, proprietor. 234

WANTED—To trade Marble for  
gentle work horse, 8 or 10 years old.  
Apply at Marble yard. 30

Drummer's samples in all new  
shapes of felt hats at wholesale prices  
at Mrs. C. M. Proctors. 33

Col. Gordon Boone, Capt. P. A.  
Smith, Judge Teague and many  
others were here from Navasota yester-  
day.

G. Waldo and J. M. Howe of Hous-  
ton were here yesterday taking in  
the celebration. Both are with the  
Houston & Texas Central.

Judge A. G. Board, J. E. Butler,  
R. G. Tabor and W. C. Boyett left  
for Navasota yesterday to attend the  
funeral of Mr. A. G. Steele.

Mr. A. G. Steele died yesterday  
morning at his home in Navasota.  
An appropriate notice of his death  
will appear in a later issue.

Miss Berryman desires to thank  
her friends and patrons in music for  
past favors, indulging the hope that  
she may be placed under renewed  
obligations to former patrons and  
new ones. Her music class begins  
with the opening of the city school.

#### Mexican Fiestas.

September 15 and 16 are national  
holidays in Mexico, anniversary days  
of Mexican Independence and the  
Birthdays of President Porfirio Diaz,  
corresponding to our Fourth of July  
and Washington Birthday with San  
Jacinto day thrown in for good meas-  
ure.

These dates are celebrated through-  
out all Mexico, especially in the  
City of Mexico, where "Battle of  
Flowers" Military and Civic Pa-  
rades, national amusements and  
other festivities surpass in splendor  
all other celebrations of this amuse-  
ment loving people.

In order that all who desire to  
avail themselves of the opportunity  
to witness this unique celebration,  
the I. & G. N. will place in effect a  
very low scale of round trip rates to  
the City of Mexico, Saltillo and  
Monterey.

Tickets on sale Sept. 6th to 10th.  
For particulars call on nearest agent  
or address, D. J. Price, G. P. T. A.  
Palestine Texas.

The Press Publishing Com-  
pany's Census guessing Contest  
will continue for a month or so, as  
it is estimated that the census re-  
turns cannot be counted up and  
completed at Washington for at  
least two months yet.

## RUSSIA IS FOR PEACE

Willing That the United States  
Should Take the Lead.

### NOT IN ANY COMBINE

Russia Believes It Best to Withdraw  
from Peking Pending Settlement  
With the Chinese—Chaffee  
and Conger Heard From.

London, Aug. 30.—Diplomatic circles  
in London appear to be satisfied that  
Russia has either directly sent circular  
notes to the powers proposing the open-  
ing of peace negotiations or has reached  
an agreement with the United States in  
regard to the basis on which the govern-  
ment at Washington will take initiative  
action. Russia may prefer the latter  
arrangement on the ground that the  
United States has no entanglements like  
Manchuria calculated to arouse suspi-  
cion of the powers. Nothing definite,  
however, seems to be known at the lega-  
tions in London, except that Russia's  
great anxiety is to end the prevailing  
conditions as speedily as possible, though  
the opinion expressed by Russia is be-  
lieved as a preliminary to negotiations  
that the allied forces should evacuate  
Peking and retire with their resident  
ministers, Europeans and native Chris-  
tians to Tien Tsin, whence they can bet-  
ter treat with the most responsible Chi-  
namen available.

It is pointed out that though some  
governments are inclined to recognize  
Li Hung Chang's powers, there is a  
feeling in some quarters that it would  
be more satisfactory to all concerned  
and would carry more weight with the  
Chinese themselves could some repre-  
sentative prince, belonging to the  
reigning dynasty, be found with whom  
to arrange terms. If, however, Li Hung  
Chang can secure any kind of creden-  
tials from the dowager empress, it seems  
to be the opinion that his authority  
could not be too closely scrutinized ex-  
cept possibly by Germany and especially  
if Li Hung Chang can demonstrate he  
has the support of the powerful south-  
ern viceroys.

#### THE PALACE ENTERED.

After a Military Promenade It Was  
Closed and Guarded.

Washington, Aug. 30.—The state de-  
partment makes public the following  
cable from Minister Conger set through  
United States Consul Fowler at Che-  
foo:

"Chefoo, Aug. 30.—Secretary of state,  
Washington.—The following dispatch  
dated yesterday has been received from  
Conger: 'More Russian, German French  
and Italian troops arriving. Imperial  
palace was entered Aug. 28. A military  
promenade of all nations was made  
through it; afterward it was closed and  
guarded. Prince Ching is expected in a  
few days.'"

State department officials say Fowler's  
prefatory statement that Conger's dis-  
patch is dated "yesterday" (Aug. 29)  
probably refers to a Taku date line, it  
being necessary to send it through that  
place. They don't think it means it  
was dated Peking, Aug. 29.

#### Message from Chaffee.

Washington, Aug. 30.—The war de-  
partment has received the following  
casualty list, signed by General Chaffee:  
"Tien Tsin, Aug. 27.—The following  
casualties occurred on Aug. 24: Private  
Tillet M. Anderson, company M, Four-  
teenth infantry, died from effects of  
shrapnel wound; William H. Waldron,  
second lieutenant, Ninth infantry, wound  
in hand slight."

Although the dispatch is signed by  
General Chaffee it is not thought at the  
war department that it was sent by him,  
the impression being that one of his  
subordinates forwarded it in his name.

#### The Charges Denied.

Washington, Aug. 30.—The war de-  
partment has no information concerning  
the alleged ill treatment of Captain  
Crenshaw of Georgia, who died Tues-  
day and whose relatives say he did not  
receive proper care on the transport  
Sherman. A telegram received at the  
war department from Captain Cren-  
shaw's father made no allusion to the  
alleged ill treatment of his son. Dr.  
Kellogg, the surgeon who returned on  
the Sherman, denies that Captain Cren-  
shaw was neglected.

#### Paid an Old Surety Bond.

Little Rock, Aug. 30.—Walter Davi  
of Chicot county, Monday paid into the  
state treasury \$1517.48 on account of  
surety on the bond of James W. Mason,  
a former negro sheriff and collector of  
Chicot county, who defaulted in 1873.  
Among the other sureties on Mason's  
bond were Stephen W. Dorsey, senator  
from Arkansas from 1873 to 1875, and  
Thomas M. Bowen, who since repre-  
sented Colorado in the senate.

#### Murder in an Indian Camp.

Guthrie, O. T., Aug. 30.—At the  
Osage Indian camp near Pawhuska,  
Pendleton Strickox whipped his squaw,  
Rose, and her 9-year-old son by a former  
husband, and with a 22-caliber rifle at-  
tempted to shoot his stepdaughter. The  
bullet missed the stepdaughter, but  
struck the boy's grandmother, Mrs.  
Wah-no-pa-she in the eye, killing her  
instantly.

#### Fatal Kick by Horse.

Carlyle, Ills., Aug. 30.—George Koch,  
a well known farmer, residing in Huey,  
was kicked by a horse and died soon af-  
terward. He was 76 years of age.

## POPULIST APPEAL.

Middle-of-the-Roaders Tell Why Their  
Ticket Should Win.

Chicago, Aug. 30.—By order of the  
national committee of the People's Par-  
ty (middle-of-the-road) Chairman Jo A.  
Parker and Secretary James E. McBride  
yesterday issued the following address  
to the Populist voters of the United  
States:

"From its inception those Populists  
who have opposed fusion have contended  
that the fusion movement was designed  
to destroy the People's Party organiza-  
tion and to deliver the honest Populist  
of this country to the organized Demo-  
cracy. The advocates of fusion have  
stoutly denied this; and, while claiming  
to be Populists, have worked upon the  
credulity of many honest men, who ear-  
nestly desired legislative relief in order  
to lead them at the opportune time into  
the Democratic party.

"At Kansas City, Charles A. Towne  
avowed that he desired to declare him-  
self a Democrat in 1896, but that Mr.  
Brown and Chairman Jones advised  
him not to do so but to continue to pose  
as a silver Republican so as to more  
effectually lead Republicans into the  
Democratic party. Today there are  
many so-called fusion leaders posing as  
Populists with the same purpose in  
view—acting simply as decoys to draw  
the Populists into the Democratic organ-  
ization with the knowledge and coop-  
eration of the Democratic managers.

"The contention of Populists has been  
fully proven by the acceptance by the  
fusion committee, or what is left of it,  
of Adlai E. Stevenson, relic of the  
Cleveland administration of misfortune,  
as their own nominee for vice president,  
thus abandoning all pretense of inde-  
pendence and becoming a part of the  
Democratic machine.

"The so-called fusion party of today  
stands without a nominee who ever pre-  
tended to be a Populist; practically  
without an organization and without a  
following, save four or five close states  
where the organization is maintained as  
the only hope of Democratic ascendancy.

"We have declared that the independ-  
ent People's Party shall continue to live  
free from disreputable alliance with the  
party of Jones and Croker on the one  
hand and the party of Hanna and Quay  
on the other. There is in the field this  
year a true Populist organization, offi-  
cered by men who have been true to the  
principles and organization of the party  
at all times and who can be relied upon  
to keep the grand old flag of Populism  
flying in spite of the machinations of  
schemers and spoilsmen. To the sup-  
port of this ticket and the genuine or-  
ganization already organized by the  
laws of 31 states as the true People's  
party, we earnestly invite the efforts of all  
who in the past have favored fusion as  
a matter of expediency, but who are op-  
posed to being delivered to the Demo-  
cracy. We repudiate on the honor of  
Populists this effort to sell you—to ex-  
change you for a cabinet position, a few  
revenue collectorships, a few senator-  
ships and a few minor jobs for cheaper  
men.

"Populists, stand up for your organi-  
zation, your president and your honor.  
Let us roll up such a vote for Barker  
and Donnelly as the representatives of  
real Populism, free from the taint of  
political prostitution as to command the  
future of this nation and place our party  
on the highway to victory."

#### BRYAN TO LEAD.

Will Conduct a Campaign in Many of  
the States.

Chicago, Aug. 30.—W. J. Bryan will  
lead the fight of the Democrats himself  
in the central and eastern states. He  
will take command next week in Chicago  
and then will begin an invasion of  
Republican territory for he has decided  
to stump Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Wis-  
consin, Michigan, Minnesota, New York,  
New Jersey, Maryland and West Vir-  
ginia. This change of his plans is an-  
nounced by Senator J. K. Jones, chair-  
man of Democratic national committee  
and Mr. Bryan's itinerary is now being  
worked out by Judge McConville, chair-  
man of the speakers bureau.

Charles A. Towne has left Chicago  
for a speaking trip that will carry him  
into all parts of the country. Mr. Towne  
will make his first speech Friday at  
some point in Idaho. Then he will go  
to Washington, Oregon, California and  
Kansas where he will spend three or  
four days. Starting from Kansas he  
will make speeches in Nebraska and  
then put in an entire week in South  
Dakota. He will get back to Illinois  
Oct. 1 and after making a number of  
speeches in this state he will go south  
to Louisville, Memphis and Atlanta.  
He will spend several days in Ohio.  
From that state he will go to New York  
where one of his speeches will be made  
at Buffalo. Then he will turn west-  
ward again to campaign Michigan, In-  
diana and Illinois, reserving the last  
week for Minnesota.

#### Poor Farm Inmate Killed.

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 30.—Nick Ayl-  
ward, aged 78 years, an inmate of the  
county poor farm, died as the result of  
injuries alleged to have been inflicted  
by Jack Hannon, an attendant, last  
week. It is claimed that Hannon  
knocked Aylward down and beat him  
brutally. Hannon has disappeared.

#### Found Dead.

Greencastle, Ind., Aug. 30.—David  
Chavis of Fillmore, aged 18 years, went  
to Coatesville to visit his sweetheart,  
and his body was found on the railway  
track between the two villages. It is  
supposed that he fell asleep on the track  
and was run over.

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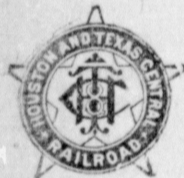
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### PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT.

Taft Commission Practically Arranged  
to Start its Plans.

Washington, Aug. 30.—All arrange-  
ments have been practically perfected  
by the Taft commission for commencing  
its duties in connection with the estab-  
lishment of government in the Philip-  
pines. The commission will assume on  
Sept. 1 all the functions which properly  
belong to the legislative branch of the  
government. It will not propose that it  
shall be in supreme control. Major  
General MacArthur will be the execu-  
tive of the islands and the commission  
will be coordinate with him just as the  
executive and legislative branches in the  
United States are on the same plane.

Civil government will not be estab-  
lished except in those towns where the  
military authorities are satisfied there is  
no danger of insurrection. The com-  
mission and the military will work to-  
gether to protect the natives and make  
efforts to induce them to return to their  
peaceful avocations. For the suppres-  
sion of those insurgents who continue in  
arms, it is understood measures will be  
taken as soon as the dry season begins.  
General MacArthur will soon have a  
force of nearly 70,000 effective men, who  
will be used to destroy the insurgent or-  
ganizations when operations can begin.

### COLLECTOR ERRED.

Placed Value on Goat Skins Too High  
According to the Indian Rupee.

Boston, Aug. 30.—Judge Colt, in the  
United States circuit court, has handed  
down an opinion in which he holds that  
Collector Lyman erred in appraising the  
Indian rupee instead of the value pro-  
mulgated by the treasury department,  
which was considerably less. This de-  
cision is in support of the decision of  
the board of general appraisers, which  
overruled the decision of the collector.

The case came up before Judge Colt  
upon a petition for a review of the case  
of the United States vs Lucius Beebe &  
Sons, of Boston. The duty imposed by  
the collection was on 27 bales of tanned  
goatskins imported from Madras, Oct.  
18, 1898. The collector imposed duty,  
figuring the value of the India rupee as  
certified by the United States consul at  
Madras. Beebe & Sons claimed the col-  
lector erred in assessing ad valorem duty  
upon a value in United States currency  
more than that estimated and determined  
by the director of the mint. This claim  
was upheld by the decision.

### COAL FAMINE.

Smelter Absorbs the Supply, Leaving  
People to Suffer This Winter.

St. Johns, Aug. 30.—A coal famine  
now threatens the colony of Newfound-  
land. The establishment of a large  
smelting enterprise at Sydney absorbs  
the greater part of the Cape Breton out-  
put; and the failure of Reids mines  
leaves the colony without any local  
product.

Sydney coal has advanced 80 per cent  
and there is probably not enough to sup-  
ply the winter's demand.

Mr. Reid, the railway contractor, is  
likely to be the most affected, his trains  
and steamers absorbing fully a third of  
the entire colonial coal import.

### Pythian Military Contest.

Detroit, Aug. 30.—The weather to-  
day was ideal for drilling in the  
Pythian prize military contests. On  
account of the large number of entries  
the drills begun simultaneously at the  
Detroit Athletic club grounds and at the  
Belle Isle park. Competitors of class A  
maneuvered at the Athletic grounds.  
Six prizes in this class which was open  
to all companies of the Uniform Rank  
of Knights of Pythias ranged from \$1500  
as the first prize to \$100 as the sixth.

### Fethers Supreme Chancellor.

Detroit, Aug. 30.—Supreme Vice Chan-  
cellor Ogden H. Fethers, of Janesville,  
Wis., was elected supreme chancellor of  
the Knights of Pythias. His vote was  
88 to 59 for Supreme Chancellor Sampe.  
This continues the Pythian custom of  
rotation in office which has been the  
most discussed subject at biennial gath-  
erings.

### Chose San Francisco.

Detroit, Aug. 30.—Supreme lodge  
Knights of Pythias has chosen San  
Francisco as the place for their next bi-  
ennial gathering of the order.

### Prospector Strikes it Rich.

Santa Fe, Aug. 30.—Christian Yeager,  
for years a poor miner in Taos and Santa  
Fe counties, has struck it rich in  
Otero county. He went to work for the  
late A. J. Demules at the latter's tur-  
quoise mines in the Jarilla district, and  
after the death of Demules he took from  
the estate a lease and bond on the tur-  
quoise claims, and also located for him-  
self several copper claims in the  
same locality. After he had worked  
through the turquoise to a depth  
of about six feet, good copper deposits  
were encountered in the Demules mines  
and he sold out his interest in the mines  
and several of the copper claims for  
\$32,000 cash.

### Fautrek's Slayer's Wife Escape.

Kansas City, Aug. 30.—The Kansas  
City, Kan., authorities are convinced  
that Edmund Fautrek, the young Ger-  
man whose body was found on the Leav-  
enworth electric line was murdered by  
an outraged husband and his friends,  
but they probably will not try to carry  
the case into court, as they do not be-  
lieve any jury would convict.

### Annual Address Made.

Saratoga, Aug. 30.—The annual ad-  
dress to the American Bar association  
was delivered by George R. Peck of  
Chicago, who spoke on "The March of  
the Constitution."

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YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	INCREASE	PER CENT
1790	3,929,214	929,214	31
1800	5,308,483	1,379,269	35
1810	7,320,881	2,012,398	37
1820	9,638,453	2,317,572	32
1830	12,860,020	3,221,567	33
1840	17,069,453	4,209,433	33
1850	23,191,876	6,122,423	35
1860	31,443,321	8,251,445	35
1870	38,548,371	7,105,050	22
1880	50,155,783	11,607,412	30
1890	62,622,250	12,466,467	25

The population for 1900 at an increase of 21% over  
population of 1890 would be 75,772,922; an increase  
of 13,150,672.

At an increase of 22% it would be 76,399,144; an in-  
crease of 13,770,894.

At an increase of 24% it would be 77,651,588; an  
increase of 15,023,338.

At an increase of 25% it would be 78,227,812; an  
increase of 15,655,562.

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To the 8th	50 00
To the 9th	40 00
To the 10th	30 00
To the 11th	20 00
To the 12th	15 00
To the 13th	10 00
To the 14th	5 00
To the 15th	3 00
To the 16th	2 00
To the 17th	1 00
To the 18th	50 00
To the 19th	25 00
To the 20th	15 00
To the 21st	10 00
To the 22nd	5 00
To the 23rd	3 00
To the 24th	2 00
To the 25th	1 00
To the 26th	50 00
To the 27th	25 00
To the 28th	15 00
To the 29th	10 00
To the 30th	5 00
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To the 33rd	1 00
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To the 92nd	15 00
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To the 94th	5 00
To the 95th	3 00
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To the 97th	1 00
To the 98th	50 00
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as a candidate for county treasurer  
of Brazos county at the ensuing  
November election.

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A. W. BUCHANAN  
as a candidate for re-election to the  
office of county treasurer of Brazos  
county at the ensuing November  
election.

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M. NAGLE  
as a candidate for county attorney of  
Brazos county at the ensuing Novem-  
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The Eagle is authorized to announce  
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as a candidate for justice of the  
peace of precinct No. 4, Brazos  
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